re-constituted Committee has now been convened on 14th July, 2004 to consider the request of drought and flood/cyclone affected States including the State of Andhra Pradesh for cyclone of December, 2003.

Meanwhile the State Government have informed that they have met the expenditure on relief operations in the wake of cyclone of December, 2003, out of the funds available in the CRF. It may be stated that the State of Andhra Pradesh was allocated an amount of Rs. 229.28 crore in the CRF for the year 2003-04 consisting of Rs. 171.96 crore as Central share and Rs. 57.32 crore as State's share.

Failure to nab rapist of Swiss Diplomat

335. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that police and intelligence agencies have failed to arrest culprits responsible for abduction of 36 year old Swiss Diplomat from Siri Fort parking lot and raping her on 14.10.03;

(b) if so, the details of efforts made and the reasons for the failure to nab the culprits;

(c) the details of unsolved cases registered with Delhi Police during the last three years; and

(d) the cases declared closed and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGHUPATHY): (a) and (b) The culprits who committed this heinous crime have not so far been apprehended despite Delhi Police having, *inter alia,* deployed over 20 teams of seasoned and experienced investigators and launched a massive manhunt in which all the listed criminals with similar *modus operandi* were interrogated and their movements verified. The absence of complete description of the assailants including their physical peculiarities, dialect/accent, route traversed by them, place where they alighted from the vehicle are some of the constraints in the investigation of the case.

(c) and (d) The details of the cases registered by Delhi Police during the last three years and upto 31 st May of the current year and their status are given in the enclosed Statement (See below). The unsolved cases are closed only when, despite concerted efforts, no evidence becomes available to apprehend the culprits. Such cases are finally closed only when the report is accepted by the court.

Statement

Details of cases registered by Delhi Police during the last three years and upto 31stMay

No. of cases reported and their status	2001	2002	year 2003	2004(upto 31stMay)
Cases Reported	68133	67408	69208	31137
Cancelled	2595	2056	1326	290
Admitted	65538	65352	67882	30847
Worked Out	46698	47710	50195	21144
Challaned	41724	42795	35792	10831
Convicted	9547	9728	7099	1747
Acquitted	1670	907	353	19
Pending Trial	30507	32160	28340	9065
Pending Investigation	1287	4071	20312	17130
Untraced	22527	18486	11778	2886

Measures to tackle noise pollution offenders in Delhi

336. SHRIMATI PREMA CARIAPPA:
SHRI MOTILAL VORA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have purchased equipment to measure noise pollution levels in the NCT of Delhi;

(b) whether it is also a fact that hi-tech cops have been trained to crack down on noise pollution offenders who violate the prescribed limits or play music too loudly after fixed timings; and

(c) if so, the details thereof, and how many offenders have been challaned during the last three months?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGHUPATHY): (a) Yes, Sir. Delhi Police have purchased 38 noise-level meters.